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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding final Office Action mailed January 18, 2006, said period of response being extended from April 18, 2006 to June 18, 2006, which was a Sunday, further extending said period of response to Monday, June 19, 2006.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-3478 in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

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